

PRESIDENT'S PRAYER PARTNER TEAM

◦ October-December 2014 ◦ Edition 12 ◦

Thank you for committing to pray for my family and I over the past three months. I am grateful for your prayer partnership as I give servant-leadership to our Fellowship. If you would like to receive this newsletter on a quarterly basis, email rheaton@fellowship.ca and request it.

The third quarter of 2014 was an eventful time despite some vacation time this summer.

The highlight was the calling of Rev. Dave Marttunen as our new Fellowship International Director. Dave and Donna are leaving Central Baptist in Victoria, BC and moving to Guelph, ON to serve in our Ministry Centre. Dave has been involved in 35 years of ministry as a local pastor. Together they served as missionaries to South Africa and as Missionary Member-Care Coordinators for Fellowship International. We are very excited and anticipate great days ahead for Fellowship International under Dave's very capable servant leadership.



Jack Chen speaking at Mission's Institute



Dave & Donna Marttunen

I spent a week with our furloughing missionaries at Mission's Institute (July 20-24) for training and enrichment. We had the joy of sending Raj and Kim Vannadil to Ooty, South India as they begin their leadership development ministry to national pastors and we have been encouraged to appoint another Fellowship Chaplain ... that's eleven new chaplains this year.



Phil Webb speaking at M.I.



Mission's Institute in Guelph, ON.



Raj & Kim Vannadil



Having fun at M.I.



Murray Heron's funeral in Pierrefonds, QC

September, Marilyn and I had the privilege of travelling to Europe to visit with many of our Fellowship International missionaries serving in France, Poland, Spain, Italy, Bulgaria and Lebanon. It was a joy to be among them and seek to be an encouragement. I attended the funerals of two giants in our Fellowship. Dr. Roy Lawson and Rev. Murray Heron were both promoted to glory this summer. Their impact in Québec and Canada was wide and deep. Thank you Lord for giving these godly men to us!



Roy Lawson's Funeral in Sarnia, ON

CURRENT NEWS

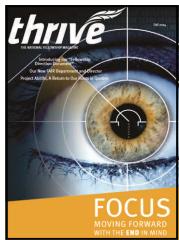


- Our Project 2014: "Refueling our Mission - Destination Francophone World" is focusing on five projects. Thank you to so many who gave to these projects in Québec and France. Our goal of \$150,000 was surpassed with a total of \$184,803. received to date.



Karim & Rita Anayssi

- Fellowship Direction Document: Our new *Statement of Mission* has been approved by all Regional Councils and National Council. It will be presented at our annual National Conference on Nov. 11, 2014.
 - Our latest Summer FAIR appeal to Lebanon has raised \$26,645. to date. These funds represent only half of the need to build an apartment in the orphanage complex housing young girls. Please pray further funds arrive soon.



- Our latest *Thrive* magazine features the theme “FOCUS” (Fall 2014) which highlights the purpose and mission focus of our National, Regional and Local church ministries.
- Our next Fall to Christmas appeal is seeking to raise funds for the mobile Dental Clinic run by Fellowship International missionaries, Oeut and Nhep Pech in Cambodia. Please go to www.fellowship.ca to read more information on this FAIR appeal.



David & Ruth Dobson



Carlo & Joy DeVito

- Pray for our Fellowship Ministries Director, David Dobson, who will remain on sick leave for the balance of the year. He continues to undergo rehab and has made some significant improvement in the last few months. Pray for Ruth as she seeks to be a support to David during these difficult days.
- Please pray for the support needs of our new and current missions personnel. Several churches have had to drop support recently and this is a difficult reality for missionaries serving on the field. Three outgoing missionary appointees are still seeking to raise funds: Castros (30% Spain), Anayssi (75% Lebanon) and DeVitos (100% Spain).

• Pray for my children. Katelyn began a second year of Law school and Jessica began second year of her environmental studies program at the University of Waterloo. Alec continues to work as an anti-fraud money laundering agent at a bank.

- Please pray for preparation for the upcoming Fellowship National Conference: “Finish the Task” (Nov 10-12). This is such an important time of gathering for our Fellowship family. I hope you plan to attend. Go online to www.fellowship.ca to register.
- Please pray about my personal and ministry support needs. Pray that several Fellowship churches and people become ministry support partners this Fall. Thank you.

Thank you for faithfully praying!



Oeut & Nhep Pech

October - December

October

- | | |
|-------|--------------------------------------|
| 1-14 | Vacation |
| 19 | d’Ahuntsic Church, Montreal |
| 20-23 | Quebec Vision Tour |
| 26 | Madoc Baptist |
| 30 | Hamilton-Niagara Association Meeting |

November

- | | |
|-------|----------------------------------|
| 8 | Fellowship Foundation Meeting |
| 9-10 | Regional Director’s Meeting |
| 10-12 | FNC 2014 Toronto, ON |
| 13 | National Council Meeting |
| 23 | Little Britain Community Baptist |
| 27 | EFC President’s Day Toronto, ON |

December

- | | |
|-----|--------------------------------|
| 3-5 | Fellowship Int’l Staff Retreat |
| 7 | North York Chinese Baptist |



My two girls, Katelyn & Jessica



Going to the Fergus Scottish Highland Fair

Steve



The Jones Family eating at an Indonesian Restaurant